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For: DATA PROCESSING METHOD 
AND SYSTEM FOR SIMULATION 
OF HARDWARE FAULTS 
UTILIZING A PCI BUS

DONALD E. DEMMING, ET AL.

In re Application of

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE SECOND MONTH

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petitions for a two month extension of time in which to file the Notice of Appeal in the above-identified application.

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Please charge the amount of \$390.00 for the two month extension fee to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0449. If any additional fees are required, please charge those fees to IBM Corporation's Deposit Account No. 09-0449.

Respectfully submitted,

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